

The Abstract of my thesis

The topic of my thesis is the legislation on the bylaws (statutes) of the banks in the Czech Republic. The bylaws are the most important documents not only of the banks, but also of every joint-stock company in general.

The aim of this paper is to describe the present (contemporary, actual) national (Czech) legislation on the banks' bylaws and to emphasize the differences between the bank's bylaws and the bylaws of the ordinary joint-stock company.

The first two chapters are focused on the explanation of the (the first two chapters explain) basic terms used in this work, specifically the terms "bank" and "the bylaws of the bank" in the light of the Czech law.

In the following chapter I attempt to discuss division of the necessary parts of the bylaws. Then I continue with more detailed analysis of the bylaws requisites prescribed by the Czech Commercial Code and also required under the Law on Banks. At the end of this chapter there is a comparison of the particular provisions of the two leading banks' bylaws regarding their management and control systems, since these matters are individually tailored for each bank.

The subsequent text mentions optional provisions that can be included in the bylaws, their possible division (categorization), and it presents (shows) few practical examples of these provisions in the banks' bylaws. The next chapter is dedicated to (explores, examines) the so-called conditionally obligatory requisites of the bylaws.

The eight chapter deals with the issue of the nullity of the bylaws.

The last chapter looks at the problems arising out of (regarding) the change (amendment, alteration) of the bank's bylaws. At the beginning it investigates which actions can actually be included in the term "change (alteration, amendment) of the bylaws" and it ends with the analysis (and it outlines) the proper procedure of the change of the bylaws considering applicable provisions of the Commercial Code and the Law on Banks as well as the actual regulation of the matter in the bylaws of some (selected) banks.

The final part of the thesis contains complex summary of the work. At least but not last (Finally) the writing introduces some of my opinions on the discussed legislation mainly on its pros (strength) and possible cons (weak points).

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